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AN ATTACK ON RESHT REPORTED AT TEHERAN

Bulgarian Army Officers Said
to be Leading the
Troops.

English Government Wants
Aeroplane Rights.

GERMANY MAY MAKE OFFER

Teheran, March 6.—It is reported that General Patroff, a former Bulgarian army officer, is leading an army against Resht. The greatest anxiety has been caused by the report. Only a few government troops are available to guard the city. Troops are being rushed to the scene. It is possible that Russia will be asked to interfere.

English Make Offer.

London, March 6.—The English government will open negotiations with Wright Brothers for English rights to aeroplanes when the Wrights come to London this month for an aero exhibition. Germany is said also to be considering a similar offer.

Edward in Paris.

Paris, March 6.—King Edward today dined with Fallieres at Elysée. He arrived yesterday from London on the way to Biarritz for a month's stay to recover from bronchial troubles.

Break in Dam.

Birkenhead, England, March 6.—A break in a dam in the new dock under construction here, killed 15 workmen today and seriously injured three. The men were working 45 feet below the water level and were engulfed. Heavy machinery was buried into the excavation onto the workmen.

Youngsters Issue Challenge.

Episcopal Sunday school basketball team No. 2 has issued a challenge to any team in the city under the average of 90 pounds. Pettit Powell is captain of the team.

Calhoun Bribery Case

San Francisco, March 6.—With a tentative jury completed after several weeks' effort, the trial of Patrick Calhoun, charged with bribery, will be re-opened Monday. It is expected that a number of pre-emptory challenges will deplete the jury box again.

Millionaire's Soaked

New York, March 6.—Members of the seventh New York millionaire regiment arrived today from Washington. They were suffering with severe colds and their uniforms were bedraggled. Others returning from Washington declare those there for the inauguration suffered real hardships. Exorbitant prices were charged for any kind of eatables. Many were forced to sleep at the railway station until trains began running after the storm.

BROOKPORT'S NEW BANK BUILDING PLANS

Brookport, Ill., will boast of two banks by May 15 as plans have been completed in the office of Architect A. L. Lassiter for the erection of a new two-story brick building, which will be occupied by the Farmers' National bank. The contract for the erection of the new building will be let next week, and will cost about \$4,000. The building will be a neat structure of brick with a front of pressed brick, with the lower floor utilized for the bank and the second floor will be arranged in offices. Mr. E. L. Dupey, formerly of Rockport, Ky., will be cashier of the new bank, while Dr. Webb will be the president.

Storm Loss Grows

Baltimore, March 6.—By wireless via Philadelphia to Washington, the damage done by the storm in and around Baltimore is estimated at two millions. Two more deaths are reported today as the result of the storm. Thousands of men are at work repairing railroad and commercial telegraph lines. The gale on the bay was the worst in years. A large number of small craft were stranded on shore.

Star Witness for the Defense in the Cooper-Sharp Trial Arrested on Perjury Charge

State Closes Rebuttal Testimony and Fate of Defendants Will be in Hands of Jury Wednesday.

Nashville, March 6.—With the examination of the two witnesses put on the stand today the state finished its testimony in the Cooper trial. On adjournment it was announced that argument will begin Monday and the case will probably be in the hands of the jury Wednesday night.

State Has Field Day.

Friday was the state's day in the Cooper trial. Not only did it tear to pieces what was left of the testimony of S. J. Blinnig, the defense's mysterious red-headed man who claimed to have seen the shooting, but it challenged the right of the Coopers to be on Seventh avenue on the day of the killing. It did by impeaching the testimony of the governor and others who claimed the Coopers were invited to the mansion and that while on their way there they met Carmack and a street duel followed.

The bombardment of the case of the defense began early when two witnesses swore that Blinnig the night of the tragedy said to them, "If I had been there five or ten minutes earlier I would have seen the killing."

Later in the day the state introduced witnesses attacking the reason defense gave for being on the street that Senator Carmack much traveled to get to his apartments.

Col. Cooper Did Not Return.

Two witnesses swore that after Colonel Cooper left Bradford's office he neither returned voluntarily nor was recalled to the phone by anyone. And one, Miss Daisy Lee, declared that instead of the governor calling the colonel, the colonel, at Judge Bradford's suggestion, called up the governor at the capitol. The latter testimony, however, was not permitted to reach the jury.

In rebuttal, too, the state attacked Judge Bradford. Miss Lee swore that he told her he could have shot Carmack himself with a little remorse as he would have shot a rattlesnake. She also swore that Paul Davis, another defense witness, declared to her he would perjure himself to get on the jury.

By two other witnesses the state contradicted Blinnig as to his presence at the scene of the tragedy. These witnesses swore that they saw Carmack walking up Seventh avenue and did not see Blinnig. Further, they testified that they had a clear view of the street and did not see him on it all that day.

Ex-Treasurer Craig, recalled, denied he ever told D. B. Cooper that his name would not appear in the Tennessee again, or he ever told him that Carmack was in an ugly humor, directly contradicting important testimony offered by the defense in connection with the killing.

This reason was that Governor Patterson had sent for the colonel, and Robin accompanied his father, and that they were on their way to the executive mansion, which is on Seventh avenue, when they met Carmack.

Soon after court adjourned the state's attorneys went into a conference at 8 p. m. When they emerged Attorney General McCann held a warrant for the arrest of S. J. Blinnig on a charge of perjury. The specific allegation is that when he testified that he saw Carmack twirling the cylinder of his revolver, he swore a lie. The warrant was served at once.

In commenting on Friday's testimony the Memphis News-Scimitar says:

"But it was only a good day for

WEATHER.



Showers this afternoon and tonight with colder west portion, Sunday partly cloudy and cooler. Highest temperature yesterday, 60; lowest today, 43. Rainfall .50 inches.

THAT WEATHER MAN.

New York, March 6.—Either Willis Moore, chief of the weather bureau, "misread" signals or deliberately planned to fool the people about the inaugural weather, according to Elias Dunn, for many years local weather forecaster. "In my opinion nobody but a layman could have made such a mistake," Dunn said. He used Moore's map to show how the storm formed and that it was travelling towards Washington for two days.

the prosecution from the standpoint of the evidence actually introduced.

"It was a very bad day from the standpoint of the evidence the state was not allowed to introduce. The state strove in vain to introduce evidence showing the location of the telegraph poles to rebut the evidence of the defendants and show that from the position of the poles the defendants' version of the tragedy was impossible.

"The state tried in vain to show by a weather bureau employee that the witness Blinnig had falsified about the weather, and to show that the atmosphere was so dense that John Sharp could not have seen what he claimed. And E. B. Craig was not allowed to controvert the statements of the defense as to the mental attitude of Senator Carmack. All these were rigidly excluded on objections of the defense, sustained by Judge Hart. They were body blows, seriously hampering the otherwise strong case made out by the state."

County School Board

The county school board was in session this morning for the purpose of selecting a location for a county high school. It is doubtful if any decision is reached by the trustees this afternoon, as the financial standing of the county trustees is not sufficient to erect a building this year. Prof. J. A. Carnagey, superintendent of the city schools, made a speech in which he set forth the benefits of having the county graduates attend the city high school.

The trustees present were: Prof. S. J. Billington, county school superintendent, chairman; P. A. Bagwell, W. R. Davis, P. S. Straub, H. Anderson and W. F. Sexton. F. F. Gholson was the absentee.

The county board this afternoon decided to defer any action on the high school proposition.

INVESTIGATE THE CITY PEST HOUSE AT LONG RANGE

Seeing smallpox by long distance was the experience of the members of the city board of health this morning when a personal investigation was made of the city pest house, which is located several miles from the city on the Hinkley road. As a result of the investigation it is certain that the city will have a new building before next winter, and this morning the members picked out several locations as desirable for the new wards. The present location is too flat, and water stands around the two buildings and tents that are used.

The trip was made in Mayor Smith's new touring car, but it was abandoned at the gravel road, and then the members took a half mile walk to the wards. Like a party of skulking Indians the members approached cautiously, and when within one hundred feet refused to advance another step. City Health Officer Sights and City Physician Bass ventured to the wards and treated the patients while the remaining members stood back and watched the operation through a telescope. The small child, weighing 1 1/4 pounds, was also viewed, but through the glass.

Without remaining any longer the board of health departed gladly when the suggestion was made, and did not breathe easy until the big touring car struck the smooth streets of the city. Much fun was had on the trip, as some of the members of the board announced that they would be quarantined away from home if their wives learned of their visit, and heaped that their names be excluded from print. The physician assured them there was not the least possible chance of danger of contracting the disease, and gave them an anti-septic.

SIX CABINET MEMBERS TAKE OATH OF OFFICE

Proceedings Without Ceremony and Few Spectators Were Present.

Japanese at Seattle Send Congratulatory Message.

Taft's First Proclamation

Washington, March 6.—Six of the members of the cabinet, headed by Knox, took the oath in the cabinet room at the white house today. The others were: Hitchcock, Meyer, Ballinger, Wilson and Nagel. Chief Justice Fuller administered the oaths. The swearing in of the cabinet members was entirely without ceremony and less than half a dozen others were present. President Taft congratulated each man in turn. After the oaths were taken the members went to their various offices, where they received department and bureau chiefs. Assistant Secretary of State Huntington Wilson was sworn in at the state department.

Logan Appointed.

Washington, March 6.—J. M. Logan, bank examiner for Texas, was today appointed examiner at large.

Japanese Send Congratulations.

Seattle, March 6.—Several Japanese today sent congratulatory telegrams to President Taft and Secretary Ballinger. Taft's message said: "Every Japanese in the great northwest wishes you and the nation the greatest prosperity yet known, and believe a deeper feeling of friendliness will exist between the home land and our adopted country."

McVeagh Leaves Chicago.

Chicago, March 6.—Franklin McVeagh leaves for Washington this afternoon to become secretary of the treasury.

Secretary of War Dickinson leaves early next week. He has not yet cleared up his railroad affairs.

Taft's First Proclamation.

Washington, March 6.—President Taft today issued his first proclamation, calling the sixty-first congress, in special session March 15 to consider the revision of the tariff.

Forest Service Laboratory.

Washington, March 6.—It was announced today that the forest service laboratory for investigating and checking wood wastes will be located at the University of Wisconsin, Madison.

Waterways Commission.

Washington, March 6.—At a preliminary meeting of the national waterways commission Senator Burton, of Ohio, was elected president and a sub-committee appointed to plan methods of procedure.

Appointments Confirmed.

Washington, March 6.—The senate this afternoon confirmed the appointments of Loeb and Winthrop.

Suits Filed.

Hugh Barnett and George Bondurant filed suit in circuit court against Herbert Johnson, Will Reynolds and Ed Reynolds for \$101 with interest alleged due on a promissory note.

Supt. Egan Optinistic.

A. H. Egan, superintendent of the Louisville division of the Illinois Central railroad, was in the city last night. He left this morning for Louisville. When queried about an increase in the force of the shops or an increase in the number of hours, Mr. Egan did not give a direct answer but said he expected work would open up soon.

MILLER WOULD PROSECUTE THE LIBEL CASES

Indianapolis, March 6.—Senator Beveridge has come forward with the name of Charles W. Miller as successor to District Attorney Keating, who tendered his resignation to the United States district attorney because he did not want to go ahead with the prosecution of the Indianapolis News-American for printing the alleged Panama libel. It is said that Miller will cheerfully go ahead with the prosecution.

Mr. Vernon Thomas left today for New York on a business trip.

Effort to Compromise Night Rider Suits is Being Made by Att'ys at Dawson Today

Six Cases in Which Amounts Sued For Aggregate \$350,000 May be Settled Without Trial.

Dawson Springs, March 6. (Special.)—A conference of attorneys and principals in the six suits for damages now pending in the federal court at Paducah filed by victims of night riders in Lyon and Caldwell counties, is being held here today for the purpose of arranging a compromise of all the cases. After conferring with his associates for some time one attorney gave it as his opinion that a final settlement will not be reached today but that the cases will all be settled before federal court meets at Paducah in April.

In the conference are Attorneys Wheeler Campbell, of Louisville, Judge James Campbell of Paducah, Carl Henderson, of Marion, and Walter Krone, of Kuttawa, representing the different plaintiffs, and Ward Headley, of Princeton, representing the various defendants which range from Felix Ewing, general manager of the Tobacco Growers' association, down to some of the most obscure farmers in Lyon, Caldwell and Trigg counties.

It is said that the plaintiffs' cases have been greatly strengthened during the past month by additional proof secured by the Lyon county officers and secret service men who have been at work on the cases, and the attorneys for the plaintiffs are holding out for a large amount of damages, as they feel confident of securing large judgments in most of the cases.

The plaintiffs in the cases and the amounts sued for are Henry Bennett, \$100,000; C. W. Rucker, \$50,000; A. H. Cardin, \$16,400; L. M. Wood, \$25,000; G. W. Gordon, \$25,000; Laura Tooney, \$50,000.

BERRY GRIGGS DIES OF PNEUMONIA.

Mr. Berry Griggs, 83 years old, of Palma, Marshall county, died yesterday evening at 5:30 o'clock of general debility. Mr. Griggs had been a very prominent farmer of the Palma neighborhood all his life. He is survived by six children: Mrs. Jane Long, Mrs. Sue Griggs, Miss Edie Griggs and Messrs. Thomas Griggs, Berry Griggs and Robert Griggs. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. The burial will be at the New Hope cemetery.

Shoots Mother-in-Law

Waterloo, Ia., March 6.—Winston Bucknell today at Greene, Ia., fatally shot his step-sister, Frances Miller, aged 16, tried to kill his mother-in-law, Mrs. Fred Butzins, and then fired at himself, but his waist chain deflected the bullet. He was captured by citizens, who threaten a lynching. He is now guarded by deputy sheriffs.

STRANGER ROBBED OF FIFTY DOLLARS WHILE HE SLEPT

W. W. Willford, a stranger in the city, notified the police this morning that he lost \$50 last night while asleep in the Wright boarding house, 318 Kentucky avenue. A stranger, whose name is unknown, slept in the room with Willford and early this morning he left without making any noise. However, he left a bundle of clothes. Willford said he put the \$50 bill with a silver dollar in his vest pocket and then placed the garment under his head. When he awoke this morning the bill was gone, while the obliging person who took it left Willford \$1 with which to settle his board bill.

Tobacco Sales

Large sales were made yesterday at the Planters' Protective association salesroom at Second and Jefferson streets by Salesman A. N. Veal. The sales were 290 hogheads of the 1907 crop and 15 hogheads of the 1908 crop. Prices of the 1907 crop were 75 to 8 cents, and low leaf 7 to 9 cents a pound. The price of the 1908 crop was leaf 9 to 11 cents a pound. The buyers of the tobacco were: The American Snuff company, of Louisville; W. B. Kennedy and E. J. O'Brien & company.

Association sale of tobacco prized by M. M. Tucker as follows: W. T. Threlkeld, \$9; R. G. Jones, \$9; W. M. Abernathy, \$10; G. W. Lee, \$10; J. W. Harris, \$10; C. Stewart, \$10.

LIVELY

SPARRING MATCH AT LONE OAK LAST NIGHT.

Paducah Lad Given Decision Over the Bandana Champion in Ten Rounds.

Lone Oak had a lively ten rounds pulled off Friday night. A crowd of young men, composed mostly of students from Draughon's college, of the city, pulled off a ten-round sparring match at Lone Oak Friday night. The match was for ten rounds and the participants were Warren Hampton, of the city, and Jasper Peal, of Bandana, and their weight was given at 135 pounds. Both boys mixed it up lively during the contest, but at the beginning of the tenth and last round Peal appeared groggy and threw up the sponge and the referee, William Zeiss, awarded the decision to Hampton.

Quite a crowd of young boxing enthusiasts witnessed the contest. The second for Hampton was Roy Tibbs, for Peal was Dick Penn. William Zeiss refereed the splendid contest. Both the participants were in splendid training.

EXILED

TENNESSEE SENATORS GO BACK TO NASHVILLE.

Runaways Highly Pleased With the Treatment Accorded Them at Nashville.

Hopkinsville, Ky., March 6.—After spending the week here eight of Tennessee's twelve runaway state senators returned to Nashville Friday morning. They were lavish in their expressions of appreciation for the marked attention that had been shown them here. They say that an agreement has been made whereby the coalitionists promise not to attempt to force a ratification of Wednesday's election, but will leave the matter as it now stands to be tried out by the courts.

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Given Housing Reception.

Nashville, Tenn., March 6.—Eight of the thirteen state senators who ran away from here to Hopkinsville, Ky., to break a quorum and thus prevent the passage of objectionable election bills, returned to Nashville from Kentucky at 10 o'clock Friday morning. The runaways were accorded a rousing reception when they stepped from the train at the Union station and were escorted to the capitol by their friends, where they took their usual seats in the senate chamber.

The remaining five runaways are expected here from Alabama today.

Paducah Boy Tells of His Journey With the Fleet.

Hanson McCann, of the battleship Kentucky, who is at home on a furlough visiting his father, Mr. Joseph A. McCann, 1041 Jefferson street, gave an interesting account of his experience on the trip around the world with the fleet, yesterday afternoon at Mrs. John J. Dorian's private school. It is Mr. McCann's first visit home in three years.

Mr. McCann is an entertaining speaker, and he told with enthusiasm many interesting and enjoyable features of the memorable journey. He was aglow with patriotism, too, and especially proud of his own ship. He said the Kentucky, notwithstanding it broke an engine valve at Gibraltar and had to come home with only one working engine, was in the best shape of any of the vessels and made a splendid record. Mr. Roosevelt's brother-in-law is his commander.

Notwithstanding the pleasures and the plaudits of the trip, Mr. McCann said that the most thrilling time to all was when from Gibraltar they faced homeward and from every jacksack floated the Home Penant, a flag 350 feet long, and on board every ship the bands played "Home, Sweet Home."

Mr. McCann expressed himself as more pleased with Japan and Australia than any of the countries, but glowingly said that Paducah held his best love still and he was glad to be at home again. Mr. McCann was a pupil of the St. Mary's Academy before leaving here. He will address Mrs. Dorian's night school next Wednesday evening, and all friends of the school will be welcomed to hear him.

HEAVY TOBACCO SALES WILL HELP SPRING TRADE

Merchants Busy Preparing Stores For Heavy Spring Business.

Work Begins on Barge Fleet When River Falls.

OUTLOOK MOST ENCOURAGING

BANK CLEARINGS.

This week \$504,753
Last week 603,165

At a period between spring and winter the merchants have found business just a little off this week and the clearings show the reflection, but still the merchants are busy preparing for an excellent spring business. The farmers have money because of the heavy sales of tobacco last month, and the spring trade is anticipated to pick up, and maintain a good stream of circulation of money.

The encouraging news from the east that there is every possibility of the Mergenthauser-Horton basket factory will be put in operation again, is received with pleasure by the citizens, for its operation will mean the employment of many laborers. High water has prevented the West Kentucky Coal company from beginning work on its fleet of new barges, but timber has been ordered, and active work will begin early in the spring. Every contract was signed this week, and no longer is there any doubt of it proving a mirage.

Nearly all of the retail dealers have returned from the east after purchasing spring stocks, and already the shelves are beginning to groan under the weight of the bright new frocks. Even the newspaper advertisements tinge of spring, and many stores are making advance showing of early arrivals of the latest from the fashion's center.

In Principal Cities.

New York, March 6.—Total bank clearings compiled by Bradstreet's for the principal cities in the United States the past week, \$3,336,711,000 against \$2,211,533,000 in the corresponding time last year.

Deeds Filed.

W. C. O'Bryan deeded to Ada Pollock property in Vaughn's addition for \$1 and other considerations. Emma L. Holt deeded to C. F. Hornbrey property in the county for \$600.

Engineer's Horrible Death

St. Paul, Minn., March 6.—N. C. Powers repairman and engineer of the Great Western pump house was killed last night by being caught in the machinery. The machinery was still running this morning and when Powers failed to appear his friends went to the pump house and found his mangled body that had been caught in the machinery and dashed to death against the cement floor, every bone being broken. Bloody finger marks on the great fly wheel showed the desperate fight he had made to free himself.

Mrs. Elizabeth McClure

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth McClure, of Symsonia, died this morning at 3 o'clock at Riverside hospital after an illness of three months. Mrs. McClure is the mother of Mrs. B. H. Cornelson, of 418 Fountain avenue, and is survived by four other children: Mrs. Hattie Robinson, of Symsonia; Messrs. William McClure, Edward McClure and Cody McClure, all of Symsonia, and one brother, Mr. William Styer.

Mrs. McClure was 60 years old and was born and reared in North Carolina. She has made Symsonia her home for a number of years and was a very much loved woman and had a large circle of friends. Mrs. McClure has been at the hospital only six days before her death.

The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock at her home in Symsonia. The burial will be in the family cemetery.

Chicago Market.

May	High	Low	Close
Wheat	1.16 1/4	1.15 1/4	1.16 1/4
Corn	.68 1/4	.67 1/4	.68 1/4
Oats	.56 1/4	.55 1/4	.56 1/4
Provisions	17.70	17.70	17.70
Lard	10.27	10.07	10.25
Ribs	9.37	9.30	9.30

The Facts About Pe-ru-na.

Is Peruna an alcoholic beverage in disguise? Is it possible to use Peruna as a substitute for whiskey? Do people buy Peruna and use it as a toddy, or a bitter, or a brace?

It would be the easiest thing in the world for any one to demonstrate the falsity of such statements. Let any one go to the drug store and purchase a bottle of Peruna. Let him undertake to use it as a beverage, or take this remedy in doses considerably larger than those prescribed on the bottle. Would the result be alcoholic intoxication? Nothing of the sort. Let any one try it and see.

Peruna is a medicinal compound quite heavily loaded with medicinal ingredients. If taken in doses larger than prescribed it would produce a positive drug effect. No one could take it as a beverage. If any one doubts these statements, try it and see. We know that Peruna cannot be used as a beverage; that it will not intoxicate; that it cannot be used as a substitute for liquor. We guarantee that PERUNA CONTAINS NO CHEAP WHISKEY—OR ANY OTHER WHISKEY, for that matter.

It contains a small per cent. of cologne spirits, absolutely essential to dissolve and hold in solution medicinal ingredients, but the drugs contained in Peruna prohibit its use as a beverage. It would be the easiest thing in the world for any one to demonstrate this if they chose to do so.

Peruna is sold everywhere. THE INGREDIENTS ARE PLAINLY PRINTED ON EACH BOTTLE. It has been said over and over again that chemists have analyzed Peruna and found it to contain only cubebs and whiskey. Now we challenge any chemist to demonstrate any such statement. Let any one who has even a smattering knowledge of chemistry purchase a bottle of Peruna and see whether or not it contains whiskey, find out for himself whether or not it is composed of cheap whiskey and cubebs. Of course, cubebs is one of the ingredients of Peruna, but there are many other ingredients. It contains hydrastis canadensis, corydalis formosa, collinsonia, and at least four other medicinal ingredients. To be sure, no chemist could so analyze Peruna as to be able to identify the various medicinal ingredients. This is beyond the ability of any chemist. But any ordinary chemist would be able to say that Peruna is heavily loaded with medicinal ingredients of some kind in addition to cubebs.

Now why are these statements repeated when their falsity could be so easily demonstrated? Simply because there is continued hostility toward Peruna on the part of the medical profession. Very likely the magazines which took up the crusade against Peruna and denounced it as a cheap beverage were misled by statements of the medical profession. Probably they were sincere in their attitude towards it. But now, after all these things have been said and refuted, it would seem to be in order for such people to use a little fairness and common sense in the matter.

Every time any one says that Peruna is nothing but cheap whiskey and cubebs he is telling a lie, an absolute falsehood. Most people intend to speak the truth. But the prevalent habit of repeating other people's statements, without investigation as to their truth, has led many well-meaning people to say these false things about Peruna.

Used according to the directions on the bottle, PERUNA IS A SAFE AND RELIABLE CATARRH REMEDY, but, like any other good medicine, if taken in excess of those doses, it will produce drug effects very unpleasant to the person who takes it.

It is therefore up to every honest person to quit making such statements concerning Peruna, or acknowledge that he is repeating slanders about which he knows nothing. One might just as well say that Castor Oil is an intoxicant; that if taken in large enough doses it will operate as a "booze." If people never tried to see, but simply repeated such statements about Castor Oil, the majority of people would come to believe them. It is no easier to demonstrate such a statement about Castor Oil than it would be about Peruna.

Any one who takes Peruna knows that such statements are false. To say that Peruna is cheap whiskey and cubebs may constitute good material for jokes on the vaudeville stage, but there is no excuse for any one who pretends to be truthful saying over again this oft-repeated falsehood.

Stockholm, Christina, Berlin and London in the order named have the lowest death rates of all the cities of Europe. Soda Clerk—Yes, sir; I did, sir.—Chicago News.

BASKETBALL TEAMS BRILLIANT CONTEST

Chess Team Wins After Hard Struggle.

Elks Beat Light and Power By a Score of 24 to 12.

THE K. C. TEAM WITHDRAWS

TEAMS.	W.	L.	PCT.
C. C. & W.	9	0	1000
D. A. D.	6	3	667
Elks	6	3	667
High School	3	5	375
L. & P.	2	6	250

The fastest and most exciting game of basketball ever played in the city league was last night when the Chess, Checker and Whist club and the Elks school teams had a keen fight. Height and weight were great odds against the plucky school lads, but the Chess team only won the game by the score of 20 to 20, when the team has won nearly all of its games by much larger scores. In the second half the High school team made eleven scores to six of the Chess team, which is the first time that the C. C. & W. has been defeated in any half. In the first half the game stood 24 to 14.

During the first half the C. C. & W. players scored eleven goals from the field and two fouls, while the High school scored two goals from the field and four fouls. In the second half the Chess team scored one goal from the field and four fouls, but the High school scored four goals from the field and three fouls. That the High school team should put up such a good game against heavy odds was the surprise of many spectators, and even the C. C. & W. rooters were enthusiastic for the team work.

For both teams every player exerted himself. Evans, of High school, played hard, and was put out twice for a few minutes. Terrell did exceptional work as guard, while Henneberger, of the Chess team, did nice work.

The second game was between the Elks and the Light and Power teams and was captured by the Elks by the score of 24 to 12. The game was an exciting one, and despite the fact that the Elks led all the way the L. & P. boys were game and did not quit until the referee said so. The first half of the game ended 4 to 11 in favor of the B. P. O. E. Several difficult baskets were thrown.

The teams lined up: C. C. & W.—Singleton, center; R. Fisher and Pus-year, forwards; W. Henneberger and St. John, guards. High School—King, center; Evans and Brownling, forwards; Silks and Terrell, guards. Elks—Goodman, center; Sutton and H. Henneberger, forwards; Daley and Warren, guards. L. & P.—W. Fisher, center; Ogilvie and Young, forwards; Rayburn and Simpson, guards. The officials were: Elliott, referee; Lydon, umpire; Kelley, timekeeper; Hatfield, scorer.

The Knights of Columbus have withdrawn from the league and now to the finish the league will have five teams. Six more games will be played and then the season will end April 1. Next Tuesday night another double-header will be played between two teams, which have not been announced.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS.
PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 4 days or money refunded. 50c.

News of Theatres

Good plays, after all, can come out of Paducah. "The Thief," which is being played at the Kentucky theatre to night is one of these and is pronounced to be by far the best that has ever emanated from that gay capital in many years. The play is said to demonstrate most emphatically that human nature is by no means the complex thing that writers of problem dramas would have us believe. The play is human. Its central figure—a married woman is not a kleptomaniac, but a thief—in this distinction altogether is said to rest the power of the piece.

Clarence Bennett's beautiful scenic production will be at the Kentucky on March 15th. This play has been one of the biggest successes of the past two years.

J. A. Coburn's Greater Minstrels, which comes Monday night, this season is a good singing show. The voices are individually strong and blend beautifully while the volume is incredible and equal to a company twice its size. Among the soloists T. B. Gremmer, Interlocutor and stage manager possesses a sweet high baritone and pleasing personality and is featuring "Two Blue Eyes" and "Dixie and the Girl I Love," two very beautiful march songs. Mr. Wm. Burns, a high tenor, of flute like cadence, is slugging the beautiful waltz number "See Saw," and "There Never Was a Girl Like You," two of the season's big hits. Robert T. Wende, a robust baritone with deep, full quality and range, sings "You've Always Been the Same Old Pal," and "When Sweet Marie Was Sweet Sixteen." Mr. Harry Coughlan, a robust tenor, slugging "Sweet Heart Days

and "Some Day When Dreams Come True" is one of the best voices in the company, while Chas. A. Koster, a contra tenor and yodler, presents the most pleasing numbers of the program.

As a play Frederic Thompson's production of Margaret Mayo's play proved to have a humor and pathos that appealed and its publication as a story will add to its popularity. "Polly" is the star rider of the circus, the child of a long line of performers with a love for the work and excitement in her blood. She is without education, except as the old circus people have given her haphazard instruction. Fate decrees that one night she stumbles as she jumps through the hoops and is injured. The circus cannot wait for accidents, and she is carried to the house, which happens to be a parsonage, whose minister is young, handsome and unmarried. "Polly" is but a child, barely seventeen and at first the busy-bodies of the parish see no harm in her remaining under the care of the minister's kindly housekeeper. But she recovers and, under the guidance of the minister, makes great improvement in her education, until she develops, in a short time, into a lovable child woman. Then the deacons, egged on by their wives, hold indignation meetings and "Polly" is told of their decision that she must go, but everything ends happily. Miss Edith Tallafiero, who plays "Polly," has been before the public for a dozen years and has been connected with more successful productions than any actor or actress in America, she being the youngest leading woman on the English speaking stage. Mr. Thompson has surrounded her with a splendid cast and elaborate scenic equipment.

This attraction comes to the Kentucky for two nights, March 17 and 18.

Mr. Dooley, the wisest sage of the day, and witliest, in a discourse on the stage a few days ago, says:

"It seems to me," said Mr. Dooley, "it's time these here attacks on Art should be stopped."

"What's the matter?" asked Mr. Hennebery.

"Well," said Mr. Dooley, "a lot of narrow-minded people, who have no idea of Art at all, are makin' an attack on the modern stage. They say it is immoral and has a bad effect on the youth of the land and ought to be reformed. An' why, I ask ye? Simply because it's the latest in Art, an' for no other reason, th' theatrical managers of th' country are eliminatin' clothing as laudible an' are attempting to reproduce life as it exists in parts of th' world well known to th' public for th' blifft of humanity."

Somewan goes to th' theatre an' sees an actor lady, on th' stage dressed for sleep if she hadn't forgotten something, an' th' first thing ye know th' second lady fr'm th' left end of th' first row of th' chorus is arrested for not wearing enough roocheling around her neck.

"Strange to say, both sides admit that th' theatre is an educational institution. I never thought of it that way. I always supposed that people went to th' theatre because they had no comfortable homes to go to, or to frigit that th' dishes weren't washed, or to laugh or cry or have a good spell of coughing where it was attract attention. But it seems I was wrong."

"The theatre is intended to be more like a night school than a circus. It's a good thing fr' th' theatre that th' people that go to them don't know this. If they felt they were being educated when they thought they were 'neglectin' their minds they'd mob th' box office to get their money back. Any recollection they have of education is clouded with sorrow."

Mr. Dooley tells what his friend Hogan says about "Salomy" in his own inimitable way:

"Salomy? Ye never heard of 'Salomy'? Well, 'tis a quaint little thing—ahrdly up to th' robust intelligence of a grown man—more suited to childer an' medical experts. Hogan want to see it th' other night."

"What was it like?" says I. "It was an artistic performance," says he. "Ye don't say," says I. "Was it really that bad? Wait a minit till I look th' dure an' pull down th' shades. Now, tell me all about it."

"Well," says Hogan, "th' play was wrote by a man that I won't mention th' name of ye'd throw me out. 'Twas set to music by a German musician by th' name of Strauss. I never heard more thrillin' music. All th' time I felt as if I was in a dentist's chair havin' me tooth filled by a plumber's helper. This grand composer is th' first man to intrajuce a scissors grinder, a man fillin' a saw an' a lawn mower into an orchestra. It isn't th' kind of music ye wud like. Ye couldn't whistle anything in it. Ye might cough it or ye might reprobate it be shakin' th' stove an' steppin' on th' dog's tail at th' same time, but ye couldn't whistle it. It's what ye might call a quarrelsome kind of music with all th' instruments hurlin' insults at each other. But 'tis well suited to th' play."

"Th' play was taken fr'm th' bible, but I doubt if it wud fit into th' place if they tried to put it back. Th' author done it over in a way that gives ye a delightful sensation of wondrin' what name ye will invent at th' station when th' place is pulled be th' polls."

"I never was so horrified an' shocked in me life. It was worth twenty times th' price of admissions. An' th' dancing! My, but it was fine! Ye see, th' lady in this

biblical drama has a anint's head cut off because she is in love with him an' th' thin does a dance in front of th' head. It is a pretty conceit an' charmingly depicted. I will say nothin' about what she wore an' I have now described her costume. But I didn't think of that—it was all so graceful, so artistic, th' poetry of motion."

"I'm sorry I forgot me opy glasses. Th' next time I go I'll get a front seat an' take along a thivoscope. Ye bet I will. But there was nothin' vulgar about it. Not a thing. When th' great artist come out an' began to hop the man settin' next to me, a man not really moved be th' higher things of life, give me a dig in th' ribs with his elbow an' whispered: 'I'll risk wan eye on it, annyhow.' But th' no use thryin' to describe it to ye'er vulgar mind, Martin. Ye don't understand Art," says he. "I understrand, Hogan," says I.

He goes to the theater with Hogan one night and his recital is side splitting:

"We're goin' to th' most modern playhouse in existence," says Hogan. "Ye'll be surprised at th' sumchness of it," says he. In time we arrive at th' temple an' afther tein' scrutinized be th' men at th' dure to make sure we got our tickets fr'm th' speculator we are conducted down a runway be a young man, wao pushes a program into me stomach an' pints to two seats that seem to be as far away as San Francisco with a large part of th' population of America between."

"These here devotees of th' drama are settin' with their coats on their laps an' their knees closely pressed again th' seats of th' row in front. They greet me with an expression of great agony. 'How an I goin' to get in?' says I. 'Is me youth I cud hurdle thim, but if I thried it now I'd only land in th' lap of that stout lady whose violet eyes at this monyt denounce me as a murderer,' says I.

"Go on in," says Hogan. "I feel th' hot flush of shame mantling me brow, but I take th' plunge. A groan of misery goes up fr'm th' row as th' ladies collect their hats, coats, fans, handkerchiefs, programs, and bundles of smelly salts in a large bundle an' slowly rise an' stand in a furious row. Th' gentlemen back up against their new silk hats in th' commoious racks provided by a lib'ral management under th' chairs. Th' space thus left between thim an' th' backs of th' people in front is meant fr' me triumphant entry."

"How I got through I'll never tell ye. Me figure is suitable to a man of dignified years an' pursuits. I have a recollection of shirlecks in pail, muttered oaths, th' tearin' an' rendin' of garments. Th' back buttons of me coat became locked in a buckle belt. I tore meself loose with a superhuman effort stepped on a hat, an' found meself in me seat, with a feather hon around me legs an' me watch an' chain hangin' on th' ear of a man in front of me."

"At last I was safe, but I dared not look behind at th' desolation on th' floor. I had wrought. I soon recovered myself. I placed me overcoat on th' rack under th' seat. Onforchitely I fr'got to lower th' seat before attemptin' to get in it. This incident seemed pleasin' to th' audience an' made me aventin' more enjoyable th' it might've been otherwise."

"Nawthin' is more comfortable thim a modern playhouse, except, perhaps, th' upper birth in a sleepin' car. They are too luxurious. Th' people of this generation are pampered. Why shud th' managers of th' theatre be called on to place th' rows of seats so near together that even a small man can rest his knees on th' back of a friend in front of him? Why should they be so luxuriously arranged that all ye have to do is to leave ye'er seat to start a speakin' acquaintance with th' body in th' same row. I hadn't been in th' house two-minits before there wasn't wan of me neighbors who hadn't spoken to me, if it was no more thim to say, 'G'et off me feet!' But I'm what Hogan calls a blurbite. I guess, an' I revealed in th' luxury."

"I cud hardly believe it was thine, me settin' there in a graceful attitude like a Jackknife an' shirkin' in th' air that two thousand other people had used, countin' th' number of pleasure lovers that had a cold in th'ir head. I cud see where th' lawn in front of th' duke's palace was sewed up with white thread an' I wondhered why they hadn't hung th' storm at sea on a clothesline an' bato



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th' dust out of it before they put it on. "Th' play? I didn't pay much attention to that. I got th' plot fr'm what th' servant girl said while dancin' off th' furniture in th' first act an' I knew how it wud come out. Hogan was in mortal terror that th' villain wud marry th' heroine, but me an' th' hired girl knew he was married already."

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The Week In Society.

A MARCH FANTASY.

Under the clear but wind-blown skies
I saw the round March moon arise,
Silver disk on an emerald sea,
And there it rested; while, drunk
with glee,
Over and round it, all together,
The March hares chased for a flying
feather:
A golden feather that blew and blew
Over and over and round it, too?
And the young-old, wise, little, merry
mad fawns
Laughed out under their outtous
horus—
Shieking, "How on, you folly-bright
feather!
Hun, Mad Hares, in the wild March
weather!"
—Clinton Dangerfield, in Saturday
Evening Post.

SOCIAL CALENDAR.

MONDAY—The children of Tenu
pie Israel will celebrate the Feast of
Purim with a masquerade at 8 p. m.,
at the Standard club. It is a pretty,
annual commemorative event.

MONDAY—The Glucklich club
will have a dance at the Three Links
building for the club and their
friends.

TUESDAY—The Delphic club will
meet at 10 a. m., at the Carnegie
library. The program will include:
1. The Cycles. Anthisthenes.
Diogenes.—Mrs. E. G. House.
2. The Stoics.—Mrs. George
Wallace.
3. Epicurus and his School—
Miss Kathleen Whitefield.

WEDNESDAY—Mrs. D. A. Yelver-
ton. The Matinee Musical club
will meet at the Woman's
club house at 3 p. m. The program
will feature "Balads and Dances of
Merle England." The leader is Mr.
William C. Clark.

THURSDAY—Mrs. Mildred
Davis is hostess to the Magazine club
at 2:30 p. m., at her home, 620 Ken-
tucky avenue. The reports will be
Harper's, by Mrs. George Lang-
staff, Jr., and Mrs. Vernon Rhythe.
Atlantic Monthly, by Miss Ora V.
Leigh and Miss Mattie Fowler.
Literary Digest, by Mrs. Violet
Verla.
Cosmopolitan, by Mrs. Armory
Gardner.

FRIDAY—The Kalosophie club
will meet in regular weekly session
at 10 a. m., at the Woman's club
house. The program is:

1. Giorgione—Miss Faith Lang-
staff.
2. Titian I with Description of
the Assumption of Titian by Elbert
Hubbard in his "Little Journeys"—
Miss Ethel Morrow.
3. Paolo Veronese and Palma
Vecchio—Miss Clara Park.
4. Current Topics—Miss Cath-
erine Quigley.

FRIDAY—The Literary depart-
ment of the Woman's club will meet
at 10 a. m., at the club house. Har-

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thorne's "Scarlet Letter" will be dis-
cussed as follows:

Arthur Dimmesdale, a Study in In-
sanity.—Mrs. John G. Miller.
Hester Prynne, a Study in Dual
Personality.—Mrs. Muscoe Burnett.
Pearl, a Study in Heredity and En-
vironment.—Miss Paxton.
Roger Chillingworth, a Study in
Degeneration.—Mrs. George Flour-
noy.

FRIDAY—The High School Alumi-
ni Association will have its regular
meeting for March at 3:30 p. m., in
the auditorium of the Washington
building. The program will feature:
Tolstol, the Man and Author—
Miss Elizabeth Sinnott.

Reading from Tolstol—Miss Emma
Morgan.

FRIDAY—The Woman's Auxil-
iary of Grace Episcopal church will
have a Missionary Tea for March
at the Parish house at 3 p. m. The
philanthropic interests of the
church in Kentucky will be discussed
as follows:

Norton Infirmary, Louisville—
Miss Ratcliffe.
Church Home, Louisville—Mrs.
Boyd.

Home of the Innocents, Louisville
—Mrs. Arthur Johnson.

FRIDAY—Circle No. 2, of the
First Christian church, Furnishing
society, Mrs. Daniel McFadden, chair-
man, will entertain with an attrac-
tive concert at 8 p. m., in the lecture
room of the church. The program
will be presented by the children.

FRIDAY—The Elks will entertain
with the sixth of the series of enjoy-
able dances that the lodge has given
this winter, at the Elks' Home, at
8 p. m.

Attractive Matinee Musical Afternoon

The Matinee Musical club will meet
Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at
the Woman's club house. The sub-
ject for the afternoon will be "Bal-
lads and Dances of Merle England."
Mrs. W. C. Clark is the leader. The
following is the delightful program:

1. Paper—Miss Virginia Newell.
2. Violin Selections—(a.) Smil-
ing Morn, (b.) Evening—Sir Roger
De Coverly, arranged by C. C. Sam-
uels—Prof. William Deal.
3. Vocal Solo (selected)—Mrs.
John Brooks.

4. Piano Solo—(a.) Tremolo (Gott-
schalk), (b.) Barcarolle (Nevin)—
Mrs. George B. Hart.

5. Vocal Solo—(a.) My Heart and
Thy (Gerald Lane), (b.) The Spring
Has Come (Maude Valer)—Miss
Mabel Shelton.

6. Piano Duet—Lucia de Lam-
mermoor (Donizetti)—Misses Pur-
year.

7. Vocal Selections—Song Cycle:
A. B. C. and D. by Sir Arthur Sullivan—
Miss Anne Bradshaw.

8. Vocal Solo—(a.) Phyllis Has
Such Charming Graces, (b.) The
Lass With the Delicate Air (Old
English)—Mr. Emmett Hagby.

Dance for Popular Vision.

A delightful dance was given on
Friday evening at the Three Links
building by a number of young men
of the city in compliment to Miss
Eva Dugger, an attractive Pa-
tenu, girl, who is a visitor in the
city, the guest of Miss Mary Hart.

621 Madison street. Messrs. Janice
Ripley, Jeanman Wilkerson, Love
Plantee and Curtis Seamon were the
committee in charge. The affair was
most enjoyable and largely attended.

Plans for Installation of D. A. R.
Fountain Outlined.

The Paducah chapter, Daughters of
the American Revolution devoted
much of the time of the regular meet-
ing Friday afternoon to a discussion
of plans for the installation of the
memorial fountain at Fifth
and Broadway. Mrs. I. O. Walker, 1231
South Sixth street, was the hostess of
the chapter.

A committee consisting of Mrs. H.
S. Wells and Dr. Della Caldwell was
appointed to make arrangements for
the installation services, which will
be May 1. Lorado Taft, of Chicago,
the sculptor who designed the monu-
ment, has accepted an invitation to be
present. Mrs. C. D. Chenault, of
Lexington, regent of the Kentucky
Daughters of the American Revolu-
tion, will also be here and an invita-
tion will be extended to Mrs. Sallie
Marshall Hardy, of Louisville, vice-
president general of the D. A. R. An
appropriate program and some sort
of social function will mark the day.
The ceremonies have been placed on
Saturday, so that school children can
attend.

Mrs. L. S. Dullios and Miss Emily
Morrow were appointed a committee
to confer with the city council with
regard to placing the two remain-
ing small D. A. R. drinking foun-
tains at Caldwell park and at the
N. C. & St. L. station. The foun-
tains have been here for some time.
Similar ones have been put at Sev-
enth and Washington and Third and
Broadway. Miss Mabel Mitchell was
elected a new member.

Mrs. Mildred Davis gave an inter-
esting account of "Witches and Witch-
craft in the Colonies." Mrs. S. H.
Moore told of the house in which the
witches were tried, which she saw in
a recent visit to Salem. Attractive
songs were sung by Mrs. John Brooks,
accompanied by Miss Hella Coleman
and Miss Mabel Shelton, accompanied
by Mrs. George B. Hart. Mrs. Hart
played a pleasing piano solo. Mrs. M.
H. Nash read interestingly historical
sketches of some real colonial dances.

The house was effectively decorated
in jonquils and a yellow color scheme
was carried out in the luncheon.
A salad course, with cheese sandwiches
and orange ice was served. On each
plate were jonquils. A large number
of the members of the chapter and
several visitors were in attendance.

Art Department.

The Art department of the Wom-
en's club, Mrs. Victor Vorla chair-
man, held an interesting discussion
of the second group of French artists
of the Post-Romantic period, this
morning at the club house.

The program included:
J. J. Lefebvre, 1834—Mrs. William
Brainerd.

J. J. Henner, 1829—Miss Alice
Compton.

Jean Paul Laurens, 1834—Mrs.
John Donovan.

The ninth symphony from Beeth-
oven was played by Miss Lula Reed
and Miss Mabel O'Brien.

Interesting Program at Thursday Night Club.

The Thursday Night club met Fri-
day evening at the Palmer House. A
report from McClure's on "The
Growth of Variety and Its Influence
on the Stage," was given by Mr. Rob-
ert Wallace. A paper on "The Return



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of the Fleet," written by Mr. Frank
Davis, was read by Miss Mary Cave.

Some Club Officers for 1900-1901.

Several of the clubs held annual
elections this week instead of the
regular programs; and mapped out
their work for the ensuing club year.

The Delphic club on Tuesday morn-
ing at the Delphic room in the Car-
negie library, elected its officers for
the club year, beginning October 5,
1900, as follows: Mrs. Alonzo H.
Meyers, president; Mrs. Edmund M.
Post, vice-president; Miss Kathleen
Whitefield, secretary; Mrs. George A.
Flournoy, treasurer; Delphic librari-
an, Mrs. Elizabeth Austin. The club
will devote the next two years to a
study of the British Empire.

The Woman's club at its regular
meeting on Thursday afternoon at
the club house, elected officers for
three positions as follows: Second
vice-president, Mrs. John G. Miller;
treasurer, Mrs. Frank Boyd; corre-
sponding secretary, Mrs. Arch Suther-
land.

The Kalosophie club re-elected its
present officers at the business meet-
ing on Friday morning. They are:
Mrs. Edward H. Bringham, presi-
dent; Miss Lula Reed, vice-president;
Miss Philippa Hughes, secretary and
treasurer; Miss Caroline Sowell, cor-
responding secretary. The club
study, France; its history, literature
and art for the next two years.

Paducah Woman's Club Endorses Dr.
Wiley.

The following resolutions sent to
the Paducah Woman's club by Miss
Lillia Breed, chairman of the food
sanitation committee of the Ken-
tucky Federation of Women's clubs,
were approved by the club at its
business meeting on Thursday after-

noon:

Whereas, It appears through press
reports and from other sources, that
a bitter, personal attack is being
made on Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, chief
of the bureau of chemistry of the
United States department of agricul-
ture, and,

Whereas, Such attacks, seemingly,
are fostered by certain food produc-
ing interests and the manufacturers
of fake remedies and design to force
Dr. Wiley from his position as chief
officer of the pure food law, and

Whereas, It seems that an organ-
ized movement among the enemies of
the national food law covering the
entire nation has been formed to in-
jure Dr. Wiley's reputation and se-
cure his removal, and

Whereas, We believe the service
rendered by Dr. Wiley in the past has
been strictly in public interest, and

Whereas, We believe that he
should have full power to act in the
protecting of the helpless public
against the use of coloring fluids,
preservatives and other devices for
hiding defects in food products to
the damage of both the consumer
and the honest manufacturer, there-
fore be it,

Resolved, That we as members of
the General Federation of Women's
clubs express our disapproval of such
attacks on Dr. Wiley and his official
status as calculated to unjustly in-
jure a faithful, public servant, whose
services are and have been for many
years of inestimable benefit and
value to the public, and to weaken
the effectiveness, and power of the
pure food law.

Resolved, That we give our strong-
est endorsement and appeal to the
president of the United States and
the secretary of agriculture for the
preservation of the powers of the

office untrammelled, which Dr.
Wiley has so long and courageously
exercised, and that the undersigned
pledge our support to him in the fur-
therance of the protection of the con-
sumer, and the honest manufacturer.
Signed: PADUCAH WOMAN'S CLUB

Social Secretary to Mrs. Taft.

Miss Alice Blech, an attaché of the
Bureau of American Republics, has
been selected by Mrs. Taft as her so-
cial secretary. She succeeds Miss
Isabelle Hagner, the first woman to
hold the position of social secretary
to the wife of a president.

A Popular Position.

Miss Elizabeth Taylor, of Rich-
mond, has been selected in the place
of Mrs. Morton Cassidy to edit the
society column of the Courier-Journal
and is now in Louisville, having com-
menced her work the first of this
month. Miss Taylor is prominently
known throughout the state. It is
her first trial at newspaper work.
Mrs. Cassidy succeeded Miss Cha-
plinsky on the Courier-Journal, when
she married Haynes McFadden, the
Nashville newspaper man. The Cour-
ier-Journal must have Dan Cupid as
assistant society reporter.

Beware the Tan of March.

A grandmother's theory is that the
maiden who would be of fair face
must avoid March winds as she would
avoid the plague says the Woman's
Natural Journal. It is remarked
that the one who will take good care
of the face during the month when
the winds are troublesome and play
havoc with most complexions has the
tan-proof complexion. A roughened,
tanned skin is not easily removed.
Many persons can not wear a veil.
The veil is quite injurious to persons

with impaired vision and one worn
during the day is liable to cause
severe headache, but if one can not
wear the veil, she is not denied the
use of harmless creams that dry upon
the face. Healthy tan is rather ac-
cording to some persons, though
heavy, tan is positively disfiguring
and one must bear in mind the grand
mother's warning and avoid spring
tan.

The Latin Women Versus the Anglo- Saxon.

Carolina Holman Huldobor, a
Chilean lecturer, took a few raps at
armies, navies, wars, and things like
that before the Women's Peace circle
at the Hotel Astor, New York, this
week. Senorita Huldobor said her
sex typified peace and if there was a
fight in the animal kingdom the male
always began the fray. She paid her
compliments to the Army and Navy
league and said the laziest man in
the world was one who drew salary
from the government for the privi-
lege of wearing a blue coat, brass
buttons, and epaulets. Senorita
Huldobor said she knew something
about the domestic game, too.

There was a gasp of apparent sur-
prise when the speaker said she was
54 years old. Continuing, she said
women of Spanish America do not
sway lazily in hammocks and had

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"Well, I'd rather be bent than
broke,"—Cleveland Leader.
"If you stay at your desk so late
and work so hard you'll soon be bent
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9.....5366	23.....5306
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12.....5293	26.....5341
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Total 127,114
Average for February, 1909.....5297
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Increase 1,422

Personally appeared before me this March 1, 1909, R. D. MacMillen, business manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of February, 1909, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief. My commission expires February 16, 1912.

W. F. PAXTON,
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Daily Thought.
It is easy to affect to despise the things we cannot understand.

THE PRESIDENT TO THE NATION

Very few inaugural addresses have been scanned with more interest than will be that with which the new president began his administration. It deserves and will support the careful scrutiny of his countrymen. It is interesting and significant both for what it contains and for what it does not contain, for what it is and for what it is not, for its matter and for its manner, says the Chicago Tribune. By its perusal the people will discern more clearly than ever that a very different man from the preceding president is now the chief magistrate of the nation and that a very different administration from his predecessor's has begun.

During the campaign Mr. Taft was frequently spoken of and, in cities, at least, placarded as "the business man's" candidate. His inaugural address substantially bears out the claim. It is an assurance that one of the main considerations of the present administration will be the careful adjustment of the new legislation to the business activities of the nation to the end that "proper and progressive methods" may be safeguarded and encouraged, rights and wrongs more definitely ascertained, and enterprise assured of the necessary security and freedom which it can enjoy only when reform has reached the stage of complete definition.

The utterance of the new president upon regulative legislation, upon tariff revision, upon monetary reform should and undoubtedly will establish the returning confidence of the business world and inaugurate a period of renewed prosperity which, as we believe, may prove sounder and broader as well as greater than any the nation has enjoyed.

At the same time the new president takes pains to assure the people that the greatly needed reforms accomplished under the leadership of Mr. Roosevelt will not be abated a jot if his will prevails in the national councils. There is to be no step backward in what are termed the Roosevelt policies as their author, and to maintain them and perfect them he pledges himself freely and unequivocally.

Compared to the remarkable utterance of Mr. Roosevelt, the contrast throws this administrative aspect of the address into higher relief than if the comparison were with the messages of Mr. Roosevelt's predecessors. But though there is a striking absence of the social and ethical generalizations which Mr. Roosevelt made so influential, there is no lack of definite statement of policy.

The new president's thorough knowledge of our foreign relations and his enlightened sense of their importance are factors not only in our own national economic and political welfare but in world politics as well. And every thoughtful American should read with especial care what are perhaps the gravest passages of Mr. Taft's first presidential pronouncement—namely, those which urge the necessity of adequate naval and military armament.

In this as in other vital matters Mr. Taft is at one with Mr. Roosevelt, and it is not in the temper of

the jingo or of the alarmist that the new president solemnly declares the importance of an army and navy commensurate with our responsibilities. There has never been a president less likely to consent to play the bully. There has never been one, we believe, who would more firmly withhold the blow. There has never been one, we believe, who was more anxious for honorable peace nor able with greater skill, temperance, and amiability to guide the government through international difficulties.

But as an altruist, as well as one who recognizes the nation's rights of self-interest, the new president demands that our arm be strong. To live in peace and amity with all peoples is our aim. But it must be the peace of courage and the amity of mutual respect.

President Taft enters upon his great task with the hope of a people to spur him on and their respect and confidence to stay him. Not merely his party may be proud of him, but this whole frank, strong and friendly American people, north and south, east and west, who know how to admire the plain honesty of act and speech, the warm and brave heart, the sane and well-stored brain, the arduous and useful service, and the unsurpassed patriotism of William Howard Taft.

SOME STORIES AROUND TOWN

The following from the Courier-Journal will be enjoyed by Bishop Woodcock's many Paducah admirers: Bishop Charles E. Woodcock is without a peer when it comes to telling an Irish dialect story the way it ought to be told. He produced one the other evening that went something like this:

"Two Irishmen met in the road, and as one of them wore a very delicate expression the other one asked, 'Why, Pat, what's all ye?'"

"'Worra, worra,' the other replied 'me pet chameleon is dead.'"

"'Chameleon? And what's a chameleon?' the other queried, the rising infection at the end denoting almost unbelief in the existence of such a thing."

"'A chameleon, the bereaved owner explained, 'is a little reptile that spins its toime changing colors. If ye put it on green it turns green.'"

"'Will, now, that's certain a in-threastin' animal, shure. And what killt 'im?'"

"'The pore little feller died of ambition. He happened to get onto a Scotch plaid, and before I could rescue him he hush.'"

When Mr. Taft and President Roosevelt met Thursday morning in the breakfast room of the white house Mr. Taft's greeting to the man he was so soon to succeed was: "Mr. President, even the elements protest." "Mr. President," quickly rejoined Mr. Roosevelt, "I knew there would be a blizzard clear up to the minute I went out of office."

THE SPECTATOR.

Weekly Comments on Things About Town.

The Spectator's attention was attracted to two signs flanking either side of the steps leading into one of the downtown churches, which bore the legend, "NO LOAFING." Now everyone despises a loafer, and yet everyone loafs. To loaf under certain obvious conditions is one of the inalienable rights of man, which ought to have been incorporated in the constitution along with those other inalienable rights of "life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness." And everyone loafs. The flattered belle of society, retires to her boudoir, dons the bewitching kimono, and proceeds to loaf in an aesthetic way. Her older and more strenuous sister, in the full between clubs and clubbists, "relaxes" (another term for "to loaf") after the day's work, the husband and father settles down to the enjoyment of a loaf, in slippers and old coat, with his trusty briar or corncob for companion, and the evening paper an excuse. To loaf or not to loaf, is not the question, for everyone loafs in some way or another, but the question which many a man is up against in this city is, where to loaf. For man is a gregarious animal, as the naturalists tell us, or a social being, as the sociologists put it, and when he loafs he wishes companionship, he wishes to loaf in company. Therefore it was that when the Spectator saw that sign, "NO LOAFING," although he recognized that the front steps of that particular church were no place for a decent loaf, he wondered really where many a man could go to loaf, to smoke his pipe or cigar, read his paper, and have a bit of companionship. It is true that this is largely a city of homes, and the man of family has his own fire-side and easy chair to help him loaf properly, and his family, or some neighbor, to keep him company. But besides these favored mortals, the family unit, there are in our midst some hundreds, to put it conservatively, of men who have neither home nor family here, the transients, roomers, boarders. Where do they loaf? The Spectator wonders. Not in the forlorn surroundings of the average rented room, alone and solitary, not in the "best room" or parlor of the average rooming house, not here certainly.—but where do they and where can they really loaf, when it is their

right by every law of justice to loaf. There is the reading room of the public library, an institution of which we are so justly proud. But loafing is the last thing that its quiet orderliness and restraint suggests, and a pipe or cigar in such surroundings could scarcely be tolerated, and certainly not enjoyed. Now the library has a basement floor, seldom if ever used, except for the meetings of a woman's club, and occasional meetings for the school children,—and the Spectator has often wondered why it has not occurred to the board to utilize this basement for a smoking and reading room for those who need it most. But this is a pipe dream of the future,—and we come back to the question, Where can a man without a home or family spend a quiet and pleasant evening in the whole city, where? Not in the several men's clubs of various names and purposes, as these are of necessity limited to their membership. We turn to the churches, owning something more than two hundred thousand dollars' worth of property and buildings, but does the door or lecture room or assembly or room of any other name about this church property open for the man who just wants a pleasant evening, a place to loaf. Not one. But a man must loaf, and a man will loaf, and the church and the library and the club supplies no place, and the solitary lodging room is intolerable and there is no place for such as he. No place,—yes there is,—the door of the saloon is always open, and a welcome there is always awaiting him. The Spectator has no intention at this or any other time of entering into a discussion of temperance and prohibition, let alone, as the lawyers say, but he would like to ask, if the saloons go, what then? What is offered to take the place of the light and warmth and cheer and companionship that men want, and can get nowhere else but here? While we are getting statistics on the subject, let us hear how many men on a given evening, found in the saloons, went there, not for the glass that inebriates as well as cheers, but wholly and simply for light and warmth, a place to smoke, a place to read, a place to meet and talk? Instead of saying to the stranger in our midst, and the man without a home, You shall not enter a saloon, let some one else enough and strong enough arise, and find a place where a man can exercise in comfort that right to loaf, after the day's work is over, which every father exercises in the home he is so fortunate to possess and every mother exercises by the hearth-stone where she reigns as queen. Let us find a place where any man, simply because he is a man can come for a quiet evening, a quiet smoke if he will, a friendly chat, a little companionship.

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COLLEGE NOTES.

Mr. Salem Cope, who has been attending the commercial department of the Paducah Central Business College, has accepted a position as bookkeeper for the T. J. Stahl Tobacco company, of this city. Mr. Cope is very energetic and his many friends wish him much success in his new undertaking.

The college reports since it began here, less than six years ago, that it has turned out about 500 students and in no case has a graduate failed. Miss Lowther La Nier, the efficient Paducah-Central stenographer for Lou Allenberg & Co., a large wholesale and retail whisky establishment of this city, has resigned, her position having been employed by a Paducah firm which is soon to locate in Paducah.

The college is looking for a young lady who does not object to taking a position out of town. Mr. Henderson, the secretary, reports that he is meeting with much difficulty in finding competent lady stenographers to take the positions that are offered out of the city.

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RIVER NEWS

River Stages.	
Pittsburgh	10.0 2.5 fall
Cincinnati	34.9 4.2 fall
Louisville	16.6 4.7 fall
Evansville	41.7 0.8 fall
Mt. Vernon	42.8 0.4 fall
Mt. Carmel	18.3 1.2 fall
Nashville	14.1 3.0 fall
Chattanooga	7.7 0.4 fall
Florence	8.1 0.9 fall
Johnsonville	25.8 2.7 fall
Calro	46.8 0.2 rise
St. Louis	13.6 0.1 fall
Paducah	41.5 0.0 at

River stage at 7 o'clock this morning 14.5, a stand since yesterday morning. The river will remain about on a stand for the next 24 hours. This stage of the river of 41.5 feet is the highest stage since January, 1907. The rainfall last night was .66 inches.

Arrivals—Kentucky from Brookport with four cars of freight aboard for Tennessee river landings. George Cowling from Metropolis on her two regular trips, doing a good business. Royal from Golconda on time this morning with a big cargo of hay and a number of passengers. Dick Fowler from Calro tonight at 9 o'clock. Henrietta from the Cumberland yesterday with three barges of cross-ties for Joppa. I. N. Hook from the Tennessee last night with several barges of ties for Calro. M. B. Waymond from the Cumberland yesterday afternoon with a big tow of ties for Joppa. Condon from Joppa yesterday afternoon to be inspected today. Hopkins from Evansville.

Departures—Dick Fowler for Calro and way landings at 8 o'clock this morning with a large freight and passenger list. Royal for Golconda this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Cowling for Metropolis this morning at 11:30 o'clock and this afternoon at 4:30. Hopkins for Evansville and way landings this morning. I. N. Hook for Calro with a tow of Tennessee river ties. M. B. Waymond for Joppa with a tow of Cumberland river ties. Kentucky for Riverton, Ala., and all way landings this evening at 6 o'clock with a big cargo of freight and a number of passengers. She received freight all day at the wharfbark. Condon for Joppa this afternoon.

The Clyde will be due in port Monday from the Tennessee.

The City of Sallito will leave St. Louis this afternoon at 5 o'clock for the Tennessee. She will be due here Sunday on her way up the Tennessee.

The J. B. Richardson will be due in port tomorrow afternoon from Nashville and way landings and will leave Monday at noon for Clarksville.

The Peters Lee got away from Cincinnati yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock for Memphis and way landings. She will be due here some time Monday afternoon or night.

The Bald Eagle will get away the first of next week for St. Louis to enter the Mississippi river trade. She has been in winter quarters at the "Duck's Nest" for several weeks.

The Ekan will be due in port Monday from the Mississippi with a tow of empty barges for the West Kentucky Coal company.

There was some talk along the river front this morning about the crew of the steamer Chattanooga, which left here yesterday afternoon for the upper Tennessee. On the last trip several of the crew of the Chattanooga deserted her on account of some dispute and yesterday to fill out the crew a colored watchman was hired on the boat. This is something unusual and has been the subject of a great deal of talk.

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By Citizens and Ministers of Knoxville.

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ACCEPTS CALL TO NORFOLK.

To show their esteem for the Rev. G. W. Perryman, formerly pastor of the First Baptist church in Paducah, the citizens of Knoxville, Tenn., gave him a banquet last Monday night. Dr. Perryman has resigned his pastorate to accept a church in Norfolk, Va. Of the banquet the Knoxville Journal and Tribune says:

"As evidence of the esteem in which he is held, and of appreciation for his works while a resident of this city, seventy-five citizens of Knoxville gathered about the banquet board at the Colonial hotel last evening and broke bread with Rev. G. W. Perryman, who is soon to leave for Norfolk to take up his work in that city, following his years as pastor of the Boarder Avenue Baptist church in this city. Dr. Perryman has been a prominent figure in the church work and in the politics of this city, and in quite recent years he has been a potent factor in shaping the destinies of the city. To a large extent he bore the brunt of the prohibition fight here and did great work in making Knoxville a saloonless city. It was fitting therefore, that when he is about to conclude his work here, that those who have worked as his aides and have been drawn to his side where the battles were sternly waged, should honor him with a farewell banquet.

"Scheduled to begin at 9 o'clock, it was 8:35 before the banqueters seated themselves at the long and inviting table at the Colonial dining room. Miss Host Victor Shilag had prepared a tempting menu and for the next two hours it was given minute inspection and favorable consideration. Presided over by Capt. William Rule, editor of the Journal and Tribune, who was called to serve as toastmaster in the absence of Hon. John K. Shields, of the Tennessee supreme court, who sent a telegram regretting his inability to be present, the banquet will not soon be forgotten by those attending. It was 11:35 o'clock when Capt. Rule rapped for order as the last course was being given consideration. Capt. Rule, referring to the toast-cards which announced that Judge Shields would preside as toastmaster, stated that Judge Shields was not present, and he thereupon read a telegram from Judge Shields stating that conditions over which he had no control prevented his being present, and concluding with congratulations for Dr. Perryman. Capt. Rule then issued warning that he "would get the axe" for any speakers who dared to trespass upon the patience of the audience at such an hour by running over the five minute mark with their talks.

Ed F. Pixler Injured.

Ed F. Pixler, formerly of Brookport but now of Benkleman, Mo., was seriously injured last Monday by falling from a coal chute on the B. & M. railroad. He was opening a coal chute when he slipped and fell head first to the ground, a distance of 35 feet. He was not knocked unconscious and walked to the station. A medical examination revealed that nine ribs were broken and internal injuries sustained.

A. J. Lasker, the architect, has been ill of grip since Wednesday.

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one Methodist church at 11 a. m., and at the Third Street church at 7:30 p. m. Dr. Schuler is one of the leading ministers of the Southern Methodist church. He visited Paducah some weeks ago and was so much pleased that he planned another visit, so he will be here tomorrow. Regular services at Fountain Avenue church tomorrow. Preaching at 11 a. m. by Dr. Schuler, of Nashville, Tenn., and by Dr. Packard at 7:45 p. m. Epworth league at 7 p. m. Good music and a warm welcome to all. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. John H. Davis, superintendent.

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AT THE CHURCHES

LUTHERAN.—The Rev. William Brothman, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the pastor in English. Regular business meeting at 2:30 p. m. Morning subject: "The Death of Christ the Legal Redeemer for Our Sins." Evening subject: "Growth in Sanctification."

EVANGELICAL.—The Rev. William Bourquin, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject: "Suffering." Evening subject: "The Powers Unseen."

Presbyterian.—**FIRST.**—The Rev. W. E. Cave, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. and at Mizpah mission at 2:30 p. m. Preaching at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

KENTUCKY AVENUE.—The Rev. J. R. Henry, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject: "White Harvest Fields." Evening subject: "Ministry."

Christian.—**FIRST.**—The Rev. S. B. Moore, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject: "Christ, the

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Glad to Know We Did Not Miss It. The Daily Kentucky New Era, Hopkinsville, says:

"Although no effort was made to keep it a secret, the news has just become generally known of the marriage of January 21 of Miss Mattie Brown, the accomplished official court stenographer of the Third Judicial district, and Mr. Thomas Gayle Houston, the popular gentleman who has charge of the billiard parlors at Hotel Latham. They were quietly married at the home of Rev. S. B. Moore, of the Christian church, in Paducah. The papers of Paducah published notice of the issuance of the license and even of the ceremony, but none seemed to realize who the parties were until recently when lengthy notices were given the affair. Mr. and Mrs. Houston will make their quarters here. Mrs. Houston is fulfilling her regular duties at the present term of circuit court."

In Honor of Birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Reeder, of 2165 Bridge street, entertained a number of their relatives and friends yesterday in honor of Mrs. Reeder's fortieth birthday. An elegant dinner was served. Those present were: Mrs. J. M. Frizzell, of East Prarie, Mo.; Mrs. Tennie Wood, of Benton, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bolen, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bolen, Mrs. Eudora Fox, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Reeder, Misses Clara and Verna Reeder, Jesse and Imogene Bolen and Cora Morgan; Messrs. Claude Reeder, Jesse Reeder, Frank Frizzell and James Leroy Reeder. Mrs. Reeder received a number of pretty gifts. The occasion was most pleasant.

Storm Party for Visitor.

A storm party was given last night by a party of young people in honor of Miss Grace McEuliffe, of Dalton, Ga., who is the guest of the Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Henry, 211 South Sixth street. The entertainment was unexpected when the friends swooped down on the parsonage. After a pleasant evening refreshments were served. Music was enjoyed, and a forest contest was held. Miss Anna Lee, of the University of Kentucky, was the guest of honor. The prize for correctly guessing the number of trees represented.

Interesting Afternoon.

The Paducah W. C. T. U. was most pleasantly entertained on Thursday afternoon at the attractive home of Mrs. Curtis C. Covington, Jefferson street. It was the regular "Mothers' meeting" of the Union and the chairman, Mrs. James Koger, presided. The program was splendidly presented. Mrs. F. B. May, Mrs. Robert Cook and Mrs. A. C. Elliott gave interesting papers. Mrs. H. H. Duley gave an effective recitation. A delightful course luncheon was served during the afternoon. The house was attractively decorated with ferns and a number of visitors were present besides the members.

Mrs. John Webb, of Forrest City, Ark., who has been visiting relatives in this city, left today for a visit to Princeton.

Mrs. T. J. Danley, of Sturgis, returned home today after a visit with relatives in this city.

Mrs. A. N. Neal, saleswoman for the Planters' Protective association, went to La Center on business today.

Mrs. J. R. Martin and daughter, Mary Frances, of Greenville, returned home today after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Guy Martin, of Jefferson street. Mr. Will Scott went to Louisville today to resume his duties on the Louisville Times staff. Mr. Scott was called here on account of the illness of his father, Mr. B. H. Scott, who still remains in the same semi-conscious condition.

Mrs. Charles Joslin, of North Sixth street, has returned from a two weeks visit to Mr. John Omer and family, of Grantsburg, Ill.

Mrs. W. E. Paxton and Miss Fred Paxton, of 1039 Jefferson street, left last night for Paducah, Miss., to spend the remainder of the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Troutman left early this morning for Louisville on a visit to relatives and friends.

Hon. Henry Burnett and wife and Mrs. W. U. Pace, of Louisville, and Muscoe Burnett, of Paducah, attended the funeral of Col. Burnett and Mrs. Terry here Tuesday.—Cadiz Record.

Judge James Campbell left this morning for Dawson Springs on business.

Miss Mabel Freeman, of Kansas City, is the guest of Mrs. Robert Dehove, 123 North Seventh street.

Remodel Buildings.

A contract has been let to W. M. Kimes & Sons for the remodeling of the buildings at 317 and 315 Broadway at a cost of about \$3,500. Both buildings will have new floors placed in. One building is owned by Miss Joe Bloomfield and the other by Alderman George Ochslachner.

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It needs no cooking.

Read "The Food in Nutrition" in press.

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does all it does by virtue of one thing—Power—its power to create power.

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Bitten by Dog.

Mr. Frank Davis, of the Paducah Traction company, was bitten in the thick part of his left hand last evening while playing with a half dog pup belonging to Mr. George Pikelips. This morning Mr. Davis had to go to a physician and have the wound dressed and he is now under the physician's care. Just a year ago Mr. Davis was bitten on the right hand by a little and came very near losing his right arm.

Real Estate Bargains.

No. 617 Ashcraft Ave. Mechanicsburg 5 room house, \$750; \$25 cash, balance \$8.00 per month.

\$700 in notes secured by real estate for \$600. Pays 6 per cent on \$700, \$115 for \$100; \$145 for \$125. Pays 6 per cent on \$145. All good and safe.

Two 3 room Goebel Ave. houses for \$800; 5 minutes walk from I. C. shops. Rent for \$14 per month. Automobile taken in trade for \$100 cash. Don't ask for any discount at this price.

5 room house, No. 426 South 10th, near I. C. shops, \$1600.

New real estate price list free. Send or call for it.

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Miss Lucile Satterwhite, of Nashville, Tenn., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. R. Henry, 211 South Sixth street. Miss Satterwhite is en route home from a seven weeks' visit to friends in New Orleans, San Antonio and in California.

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WANT ADS.

Subscribers inserting want ads in The Sun will kindly remember that all such items are to be paid for when the ad is inserted, the rule applying to everyone without exception.

BOY WANTED—311 Broadway.

I HAVE a fine Jersey bull to stand; \$1.00. A. Logeay, old phone 1746.

BLACK MINORCA Eggs for sale. L. E. Theobald. Old phone 1427.

FOR RENT—Rooms for light housekeeping. 312 Madison.

HAIR GOODS made to order. Louvenia Miller. Old phone 374-a.

HAIR work, shampooing and dyeing. Lillian Robinson; old phone 2114.

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Business Suspended During the Services, Which Were Largely Attended.

Ripley, Tenn., March 6.—As a token of the high esteem in which the late Rev. Warren Moore, D. D., was held in Ripley as a divine and Christian gentleman, practically all business was suspended for over an hour yesterday morning during the funeral services, which were held at the Methodist church at 11 o'clock. No doubt, perhaps, that ever occurred in Lauderdale county's capital created more genuine regret than that of the eminent divine, and the sorrow and gloom reached outside the domain of his church into the homes of the entire community. Many of the doctor's friends from neighboring towns were present, and the auditorium of the Methodist church was taxed beyond its capacity. The floral decorations were many and beautiful.

At 10:30 o'clock many friends had assembled at the parsonage, and here the official board of the church took charge of the remains and carried them to the church building. The active pallbearers were: E. M. Rice, A. C. Durbin, G. W. Partee, C. R. Barlow, J. B. Mitchell and C. S. Carney. The honorary pallbearers were: W. B. Williams, T. D. Cobb, M. M. Halton, M. F. Given, J. W. Watkins and J. W. Hedgepeth.

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Frankfort, Ky., March 5.—The state educational board of Kentucky will hold a most important meeting in the department of public instruction on Monday next, on the return of Governor Willson and Auditor James from Washington.

The meeting is to advertise for bids for supplying the common schools of the state with textbooks

for a period of five years. After this bids are in and samples submitted to each county, a vote of certain county officials will be had on adoptors. The books adopted in a majority of the counties will be approved by the state board.

The members of the board are the governor, auditor, treasurer, secretary of state, attorney general, superintendent of public instruction and clerk of the court of appeals. The county officials who vote on the adoptions in the counties are the county judge, attorney and superintendent.

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Mere Snarlings.

These congressional attacks upon President Roosevelt are no longer even amusing. They have degenerated into mere snarlings and the public loses patience while reading of them. While it is probably done unconsciously, they are properly characterized in the press reports as "attacks."—St. Paul Dispatch.

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THEODORE ROOSEVELT AS AN EDITOR

Has Article in Outlook Rapping Yellow Journals.

Reprising President Asserts Printing of Truth is Great Benefit to the Nation.

LAUDS THE CONSCIENTIOUS PEN

New York, March 6.—Theodore Roosevelt, formerly president of the United States, is now an editor. In this week's issue The Outlook, with the names of the editor in chief, associate editor and managing editor, his name appears as contributing editor, and under date of March 5 he contributes his first signed editorial to that publication. It is entitled, "Why I Believe in the Kind of Journalism for Which The Outlook Stands."

Mr. Roosevelt is welcomed to the staff of The Outlook in a signed editorial by Dr. Lyman Abbott, editor in chief, which reads in part:

"It would be a singular infelicity to introduce to the readers of The Outlook its new associate editor, Theodore Roosevelt. He is the most widely known representative of the present world movement toward industrial democracy. . . . Unconsciously co-operating, we have pursued a common and which in the future we shall pursue in conscious co-operation. Our resolve is that the money power in America, as its political and educational power, shall come from the people, be exercised for the people and be controlled by the people. Our motto is: 'Special privilege for none, equality of opportunity for all.'"

Good Journalism Praised.
In his first signed editorial as a member of the staff of The Outlook, Mr. Roosevelt says:

"Every owner, editor or reporter of a conscientiously and ably conducted newspaper or periodical is an asset of real value to the whole community. It would be difficult to overestimate the amount of good which can be done by the men responsible for such a publication—responsible for its news columns, responsible for its general policy. We have many newspapers and periodicals, big and little, of this kind. But we also have many that are emphatically not of this kind."

"During the last few years it has become lamentably evident that certain daily newspapers, certain periodicals, are owned or controlled by men of wealth, who have gained their wealth in evil fashion, who desire to stifle or twist the honest expression of public opinion, and who find an instrument fit for their purpose in the guided and purchased mendacity of those who edit and write for such papers and periodicals."

Takes Rap at Cynics.
"These men sneer at the very idea of paying heed to the dictates of a sound morality. As one of their number has cynically put it, they are concerned merely with selling the public whatever it will buy—a theory of conduct which would justify the existence of every keeper of an opium den, of every foul creature who ministers to the vices of mankind. Here, again, it is perhaps not especially to the credit of Dr. Abbott and his associates that they have avoided this pit; fortunately, they are so constituted that it is a simple impossibility for them to fall into it."

"But they do deserve very great credit for avoiding another type of temptation which has much fascination for men of cultivation and of refined taste, and which is quite as fatal to their usefulness as indifference in yellow journalism. . . . A cultivated man, of good intelligence, who has acquired the knack of saying bitter things, but who lacks the robustness which will enable him to feel at ease among strong men of nation, is apt, if his nature has in it anything of meanness or untruthfulness, to strive for a reputation in what is to him the easiest way. He can find no work which is easier—and less worth doing than to sit in cloistered nookiness from the men who wage the real and important struggles of life and to endeavor by an unceasing output of slander in review."

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IN METROPOLIS

William Conly and family are moving here from Glendale to reside.

Cyrus Shick, who is working for the Chicago Portrait company, is visiting his father, Nathan Shick.

Walter Dunn and Miss Hattie Tucher were married Sunday at 7:30 p. m.

The river is nearly to the top of the bank at the wharf landing.

Mrs. Sue Howard is building a fine residence on Metropolis street.

Will Finly, of Samoth, is transacting business here this week.

The Bending works is running twelve and a half hours a day now and it is reported that the Harris & Cole plant is short of hands.

J. D. Barfield attended to business in Brookport the early part of this week.

Cyrus Austin and Eugene Cagle, who are conducting a grocery store at Joppa, spent Sunday with their families.

Ike Mizell, of Joppa, attended to business here this week.

Mrs. May Bruner and children have returned from a visit to Chicago.

William Liggett has returned from a trip in Texas and will probably buy land and locate there.

Rollie Simmons is in St. Louis buying the spring stock for Simmons & Son's store.

Oscar Sexton and wife, of Hillerman, are visiting Colfax Morris and family.

Mrs. J. Q. Connors is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jack Young, in Chicago, this week.

Will Rush has returned from a business trip to Saline county.

Delmar Inman has returned to his home in Danville after a few days' visit with his mother, Mrs. Jennie Inman.

Mrs. Corn Austin is visiting her mother, Mrs. Sol Murphy.

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Lv. Paducah	2:15 p.m.
Ar. Nashville	3:30 p.m.
Ar. Memphis	4:40 p.m.
Ar. Hickman	3:35 p.m.
Ar. Chattanooga	2:44 a.m.
Ar. Jackson	7:30 p.m.
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CHAPTER XI.

ON THE TRAIL OF THE "INDEPENDENT."

COLONEL J. D. TELFER, J. D. standing for Jefferson Davis, he explained proudly to Haines, proved a warm advocate of the doubtful merits of Gulf City as a hundred million dollar naval base. His flushed face grew redder, his long white hair became disordered, and he tugged at his white mustache continually as he waxed warmer in his efforts to impress the senator's secretary.

"I tell you, Mr. Haines, Gulf City, sah, leads all the south when it comes to choosin' ground fo' a naval base. Her vast expanse of crystal sea, ber miles upon miles of silv'ly sands, sah, protected by a natural harbor and th' islands of Mississippi sound, make her th' only spot to be considered. She's God's own choice and the people's, too, fo' a naval base."

"But unfortunately congress also has something to say about choosin' it," spoke Haines.

"To be shunth they do," said Gulf City's mayor, "but—"

"And there was a man here from Altheicola yesterday," ngain interrupted the secretary, "who said that Gulf City was fit only to be the state refuge fo' aged and indigent frogs."

"Say, they ain't a man in Altheicola wot can speak th' truth," indignantly shrieked the old colonel, almost losing control of himself, "because their heads is al- ways a-buzzin' and a-buzzin' from th' quinine they have to take to keep the fever away, sah."

The mayor sat directly in front of Haines, at the opposite side of his desk. Regarding his composure, he suddenly leaned forward and half whis- pered to the secretary:

"Minh young friend, don't let Sen- ator Langdon get switched away from Gulf City by them cheap skates from Altheicola. Now, if you'll get th' senator to vote fo' Gulf City we'll see—"

"I'll see, sah, as an officer of th' Gulf City Land company—that you get taken care of."

Haines' eyes opened wide.

"Go on, colonel; go on with your offer," he said.

"Well, I'll see that a block of stock, sah—a big block—is set aside fo' Senator Langdon an' another fo' you too. We've made this arrangement else- where. We'll outbid Altheicola ever- which. They're po' sports an' hate to give up."

"No Altheicola is bidding, too?" ex- citedly asked Haines.

"Why, of co'se it is. Ah yo' as blind as that o' ah yo' foolin' with me?" questioned Telfer suspiciously. "Seems to me yo' ought to know more about that end of it than a fellow clear from th' gulf."

"Certainly, certainly," mumbled Haines impatiently as he endeavored to associate coherently, intelligently, in his mind these startling new re- velations of Telfer with certain in- cidents he had previously noted in the operations of the committee on naval affairs.

Then he looked across at the mayor and smiled. Apparently he had heard nothing to amaze him.

"Colonel," he returned calmly, dropping into a voice that sounded of pity for the gray hairs of the lobbyist, "about fifty men a day come to me with propositions like that. There is nothing doing, colonel. I couldn't possibly interest Senator Langdon, be- cause he has the faculty of judging for himself, and he would be pre- judiced against either town that came out with such a proposition."

"I an' speculation is legitimate," pro- tested the colonel cunningly.

Haines agreed.

"Certainly—by outsiders. But it's d—d thievish when engaged in by any one connected with putting a bill through. If I were to tell Senator Langdon what you have told me it would decide him unalterably in favor of Altheicola. Senator Langdon, ah, is one of the few men in Washington who would rather be thought a fool than a grafter if it came down to that."

The mayor of Gulf City jumped to his feet, his face blazing in rage, not in shame.

"Seems to me yo're mighty fresh young man," he blustered. "What kind of politics is Langdon playin'?"

"Not fresh, colonel; only friendly. I'm just tipping you off how not to be a friend to Altheicola. As to his polit- ics, the senator will answer you him- self."

A scornful laugh accompanied Tel- fer's reply.

"Altheicola, huh! I reckon yo' must be a fool, after all. Why, everybody knows of the speculatin' in land around Altheicola, and everybody knows it ain't

outsiders that's doin' it. It's the lead- ers, right here in Washington. If yo' ain't in, yo' can't get a latchkey. Young man, yo'll find out things some day, and yo'll drop to it all."

"I guess I was too late with yo'."

That's about the size of it. I guess Al- theicola "it talk to yo'," went on the mayor. "If that feller Fairbrother of Altheicola had been able to hold his tongue maybe I wouldn't know so much. But now I know what's what. I know this—that yo're either a big fool or—an insider. Yo're a nice young fel- ler. I have kind-a taken a fancy to yo'. I like to see yo' young fellows get along and not miss yo' chances. Come, my boy, get wise to yo' self, get wise to yo' self! Climb on to the band wagon with yo' friends."

Had concluded that he might be able to get more definite information out of Telfer if he humored him a bit.

"I tell you, colonel," he finally said, "these are pretty grave charges yo're making, but I'll tell you confidentially, owing to your liking for me, that it is not yet too late to do something for Gulf City. Now, just suppose you and I drive together tonight early, and we'll go over the whole ground to see how things lie. Will you?"

The colonel held out his hand, smil- ing broadly. He felt that at last he had won the secretary over; that the young man was at heart anxious to take money for his influence with the senator.

"All right, my boy, yo're on. We'll dine together. Yo' are absolutely cer- tain that it won't be too late to get to Senator Langdon?"

"Get wise to yo' self! Get wise!"

"Absolutely positive. I wouldn't make a mistake in a matter like this, would I, unless I was what you said I was—a fool?"

"Of course not. Oh, yo're a slick one. I like to do business with folks like yo'. It's mighty educatin'!"

"Thanks," answered Bud dryly. "It's certain that Langdon won't decide which place he's for until tomorrow. I promise you that he won't decide until after I have my talk with you."

"Yo' see," said Telfer, "I asked that question because, as yo' probably know, Congressman Norton and his crowd is pretty close to Senator Lang- don."

Haines cut him short with a gasp of surprise.

"Norton?"

Telfer, wrinkling his forehead incred- ulously, looked at Haines. "Surest thing you know, my boy."

Bud turned his head away in thought.

"Oh, leave the Norton outfit to me. I'll fool them," he finally said.

"Good."

Telfer shook the secretary's hand heartily.

"Yo're no fool, my boy. Anybody can see that—after they get to know yo' all. That's what comes of bein' one of them smooth New Yorkers. They 'pen mighty magnificent on th' outside, but on th' inside they're the real goods, all right."

The lobbyist hurried away, his bibu- lous soul swelling with satisfaction. He was sure of triumphing over Althe- icola, and he was willing to pay the price.

Haines sank into his chair. "I wonder what Washington insiders," he murmured, "are speculating in Althe- icola land. Telfer mentions Norton's name. I wonder—"

The door opened, and before him stood Carolina Langdon.

"Ah, Miss Langdon," he exclaimed, "I am glad to see you!"

She walked to him and extended cor- dially a slender gloved hand.

"This is a real pleasure, Mr. Haines," she began. "I've been waiting to talk to you for some time. It's about some- thing important."

"Something important," smiled Haines. "You want to see me about something important? Well, let me tell you a secret. Every time I see you it is an important occasion to me."

Carolina Langdon had never appear- ed more charming, more beautiful to young Haines than she did that day. Perhaps she appeared more inspiring because of the contrast her presence afforded to the unpleasant episodes through which he had just passed; also Carolina was dressed in her most becoming street gown, which she well realized, as she was enacting a care- fully planned part with the unfortu- nate secretary.

His frankness and the sincere admi- ration that shone in his eyes caused her to falter momentarily, almost made her weaken in her purpose, but she made an effort and secured a firmer grip on herself, for she must play a role that would crush to earth the air- castle this young secretary was build- ing, a role that would crush the ideals of this young optimist as well.

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NEW TARIFF**NEARLY FINISHED**Ways and Means Committee
Present Bill March 15.Amount of Damage Done By Storm
Around Baltimore Will Be About
\$1,000,000.**CHANGE DATE OF INAUGURAL**

Washington, March 6.—The new tariff has been tentatively completed by the Republican members of the house ways and means committee and the tariff framers are now devoting their attention principally to discussing the proposed provisions for additional means for securing revenue.

Among those suggested are an inheritance tax, recommended by hon' President Taft and former President Roosevelt; an income tax and various additions to the internal revenue tax. The members declare the bill will be ready to introduce on March 15.

the Million Dollars Loss.

Baltimore, March 6.—Estimates to day placed the damage by the storm to public service corporations at about \$1,000,000.

Harry Granger, brother-in-law of George R. Galtner, who at the last election was Republican candidate for governor, was found dead today, a victim of the storm. The body was frozen stiff.

Cadets' Valiant Service.

New York, March 6.—The corps of cadets of the United States Military academy, which took part in the Tar- iff inauguration ceremonies, returned to West Point late Friday. They had a chance to perform real war duty on the trip to Washington: in clearing the tracks of fallen telegraph poles between Baltimore and Washington.

When two special trains bearing the cadets arrived in Baltimore early Thursday morning the railroad offi- cials reported that conditions were such that they believed the cadets could not get through in time for the inaugural parade.

At the suggestion of their com- mander, the cadets' train was given the right of way, and the soldiers not only cleared a path for themselves, but the path they cleared enabled hundreds of others to reach the cap- ital in time for the parade.

Cannon Favors Change of Date.

Washington, March 6.—Speaker Cannon has declared in favor of changing the date of the presidential inauguration from March 4 to May 1, and added that as one of the repre- sentatives in congress he would lend his aid in any effort to bring this about.

"I witnessed the dreadful weather conditions that prevailed in 1875, when 400 or 500 people caught their deaths," he said. "I recall the Har- rison inauguration with a soaking, chilling rain storm and the snow and icy gale that made life miserable at Cleveland's second inauguration."

"If a change of date is made, it might as well be fixed later than April, for even April rains would cause great discomfort and much sickness, and I should think that May 1 would provide more certainly of fair weather."

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WEEK IN SOCIETY

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the maternal spirit so deplorably lacking in their American sisters. In Chile a woman without children is pitied, while in New York she is con- gratulated.

Secret domestic success in Chile is due, says the lecturer, to the fact that women don't ask questions. If the old man doesn't roll in until 4 a. m. his wife keeps "mum." If anything, she appears a little sweeter at the breakfast table if the late arrival gets up in time for that meal. It's none of her business, anyway, says the senorita.

"The chances are that he just got in with a few friends, had some drinks, and possibly would have been unable to come home at the proper time, even if the inclination was there. The wife knows that, so why ask. There are no divorces in Chile and that's one of the best reasons women there manage their husbands so that they do not know they are managed," is the way the senorita puts it.

"The Latin women understand men," said the lecturer, "and the Anglo-Saxon women do not. The husband appreciates this, and the wife may have anything she wishes, from a diamond ring to an Easter hat. I know you will say that an old maid knows little about manag- ing a husband, and children, but if I should be married tomorrow I would manage a husband as our women do—so that they do not know that they are being managed. Woman must have little duplicity, a little diplom- any, and a little bit of deceit to man-

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age a man. He thinks she does not know, and she knows all the time."

The senorita invented a name for the militant woman who is working for votes for women.

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STORMY DAYS AT OTHER INAUGURALS

Only Three Presidents Escape
Taft's Experience.

Earliest Records of U. S. Signal Service Show Blizzard for
Festal Day.

START WITH GRANT IN 1873.

Washington, March 6.—One presidential inauguration is much like another, save as the changing weather casts a new tint over the picture. The meteorological reception accorded President Taft, however, is but a duplication of the inaugural day program for Washington furnished by the weather man, in many instances, since the induction of President Grant March 4, 1873. The weather that day was bitterly cold.

Since that time the only presidents who escaped the wrath of the elements on their inauguration day have been Hayes in 1877, Cleveland at his first inauguration in 1885 and Roosevelt in 1905.

Finds One Noted Victim.

Three-quarters of the inauguration days have been stormy and hundreds of deaths have resulted from persons being exposed to the cold and damp weather which generally prevailed during the month of March. Among those who are believed to have sacrificed their lives in this way was President Harrison, who never recovered from a cold he contracted on inauguration day.

Time and again the lawmakers have endeavored to have the date of the ceremony changed to a day in April or May, but so far nothing has resulted. As a consequence of yesterday's storm it is expected that the agitation will be renewed, and another effort made to have congress set the presidential inaugural date in some month other than March.

Never in the meteorological history of Washington was there a more disagreeable day than March 4, 1865, when the streets were full of mud. Men who had traveled miles to see Abraham Lincoln inaugurated were forced to wade through mire ankle deep. Cloudy weather prevailed when Grant became president in 1869 but four years later, March 4, 1873, there was a storm almost the equal of that which descended on the capital yesterday.

Men blown from trees, the wind blew with hurricane fury and the marchers were drenched by rain, hail and snow. Many of the na-

tional guardsmen and federal troops were blown off their feet by the wind, and it was a sorry-looking line that passed the reviewing stand.

The inauguration of President Hayes was in marked contrast in point of weather. A few clouds appeared in the morning but before the ceremonies they had disappeared.

When Garfield became president, March 4, 1881, the streets again were filled with mud and slush, and throughout the day there was a steady drizzle of sleet and rain. The storm became so severe that while the parade was in progress several military organizations refused to march. Late in the day the weather moderated, however, and the inaugural ball was attended by many.

Blue skies marked the inauguration of President Cleveland in 1885, but four years later, when Benjamin Harrison was inducted into office, the day was bitterly cold and throughout the ceremonies the rain came down

in torrents. While President Harrison was taking the oath of office he was sheltered under President Cleveland's umbrella.

Rain, Sleet and Snow.

Four years later, when President Cleveland took the oath of office for the second time, there was another day of rain, sleet and slush. From morning until night it drizzled, and the streets were filled to the curb with water. The ball, consequently, was a dismal failure.

President McKinley's first inaugural day in 1897 was not so bad, but his second term began with a down-pour of rain, which changed to snow and sleet. The outdoor exercises were marred by the weather, which kept many of the visitors away from the inaugural ball.

President Roosevelt in 1905 triumphed over the "inaugural day weather." In the morning clouds rolled up and the wind blew fiercely, but when the actual time for the in-

augural ceremonies arrived the wind abated, the weather became warm and the vast crowd about the capitol and along Pennsylvania avenue reflected the change in the weather, which added to their enthusiasm and good nature.

Work to Change Date.

Congressman Jenkins, of Wisconsin, working in conjunction with Senator Clark, has inaugurated an active campaign in behalf of those who wish the date of the presidential inauguration changed to a more favorable month. They have introduced in the house a resolution to have the constitution amended, and a committee of citizens representing each state in the Union has been appointed to urge the passage of the bill. The resolution, however, still is pending, and the committee still is urging its adoption.

The faint-hearted are those who think only of feeding themselves.

ABOUT YOUR SPRING SUIT

WHEN the argument is upon Clothing, it's all in Weille's favor--every man who has bought here knows and will tell you this. Take the suits these young men wear for example, point by point, and you'll realize how well they endorse the argument. Note the lapel cut with deep opening, giving a long, graceful roll; the broad and natural shoulders and full chest; trousers full at the hip and thigh and gracefully tapered toward the foot.

Gentle Spring is holding a sort of informal reception at our store, and you are invited. Our new Spring Suits are receiving the most marked attention. Fashion's new fancies bloom forth at every turn to bid you welcome.

Come and look at our stock; we are proud of it and will be glad to show you, whether you want to buy or not.

Our line of Spring Hats are ready for your inspection. They are nifty and correct in style.

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You're buying a pig in a poke, as far as much of the Boys' Clothing on the market is concerned. Looks well, may not be high priced, but it soon betrays its short comings; seams that don't show are sewed with cotton, get rotten and pull apart; not properly shaped and stitched—a little hard clothing. Bring your boy here for his Spring Suit. You can't do better.

LATIN PROFESSOR

OF CHICAGO UNIVERSITY VISITS
HIGH SCHOOL.

Investigating Methods With a View
of Admitting Graduates Without
Examination.

Prof. F. J. Miller, associate professor of Latin of the University of Chicago, inspected the public schools yesterday with a view of admitting the graduates of the school into the university without an examination. Prof. Miller was en route home from attending the classical conference at New Orleans, and returned to Chicago last night at 6:15 o'clock. He spent

the entire day in class rooms, and personally was pleased with the work. The visit will be reported to the director, and probably the graduates will be admitted.

Poor's Grandson a Beggar.

At Shap, Westmoreland, yesterday, Charles Southey, son of the late vicar of Arham and grandson of the poet Robert Southey, was sent to jail for a week for begging at Patterdale Hall on Sunday night.

He told the bench a pathetic story. His father, he said, gave him a good education, but no trade, so he took up literature. He got married and had a comfortable home, but his wife left him years ago and he had to sell his home. Afterwards he stole half a sovereign, for which he was sent to prison. He had since been unable to pursue literary work, his appearance being against him.

"I have not known what it is to have a proper meal for a long time."

added the prisoner, "but have had to subsist at the best of time on flea and chips in common lodging houses."—London Mail.

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Stunning Tailored Spring Suits

The latest and most approved models in Women's Spring Suits and Dresses may be had here now. No other store with such Suits and Dresses at our low prices.

A MATCHLESS SHOWING OF NEW GOODS NOW READY

Not only NEW GOODS, but goods gathered with discrimination, gathered from the best sources, gathered with cash and not gathered on a credit. We know that we offer better values than credit houses can afford. It is the spirit of this store to improve every season, and that's what we are doing now. It will pay you and pay everybody to come and see how helpful we are making this store for 1909. No place like Harbour's for values. True last year, true this year, true next year. The reasons are simple: We buy for cash, sell for cash and keep down expenses and sustain no credit losses. . . .

Women's New Spring Suits and Silk Dresses Here and Coming

We are ready—ready as never before with Spring Suits and Dresses to supply your needs. The best designers and makers in America have contributed their best productions for Women, Young Women and Misses for March selling here. Easter comes a week earlier this year than last, so come along and don't wait for balmy Spring days to take you into buying hurriedly.

Very artistic, stunningly original Messaline Dresses at \$13.50, \$14.50 and \$16.50.

Smart Tailored Suits in exquisite Spring shades at \$12, \$15, \$18, \$20, \$25 and \$30.

Stunning Spring Skirts

A big stock of smart new Skirts at \$3.95, \$5, \$5.50, \$6.75, \$8.50, \$10.00, \$12.50 and \$15.00.

They are the shapeliest and most attractive of the Spring models in the ultra fashionable fabrics. Skirts of tempting beauty. French gored models finished with tailored satin bands and buttons in novel designs and the very newest conceptions for Spring.

A Farewell Sale of Winter Coats

Long Winter Coats at \$2.95, \$5, \$7.50 and \$9, worth \$5 to \$20.

Women's Spring Jackets

Showing chic and jaunty shapes, strictly tailored, at \$3.75, \$4.95 and \$5.75.

Spring Millinery

Never before have we made such Millinery preparations. The picturesque styles of the season will all be shown here in their wonderful charm and variety. You will be more delighted with our hats this Spring than ever before. Already we are making an attractive showing. Much that is smart, tasteful and refined is here now. When you want Millinery there'll be no other store in Paducah the equal of Harbour's in which to see and buy it.

Stirring Sales of the New Silks

The new Silks are but one of the many interesting lines ready here next week.

Nowhere in Paducah will you find better Silk values than here. We don't believe that you will find it

easy to equal the Silks we are now selling at 49c, 69c, 74c, 79c, 84c, 85c, 98c and \$1.25.

Our new Jap Silks at 25c, 27½c, 33 1-3c, 39c and 48c.

The New Dress Goods for Spring

The new Dress Goods are here in plentiful assortment. Yes, in almost unending variety. It's a showing of unusual importance. A showing of Spring and Summer weaves and colorings that have been carefully selected from the best manufacturers, and brought to you at prices that will save you money. An intelligent comparison of these offerings with those made elsewhere will convince you.

Handsome \$2.00 Suit values in the newest Spring shades on special sale at \$1.47 a yard.

Other attractive wanted Spring fabrics at 48c, 75c 84c and 98c.

Kid Gloves

New Spring shades at 75c, 85c and 98c a pair.

Great Spring Shoes for Women

The La France planned and built to equal the best \$3, \$3.50 and \$4 Shoes on the market. The fact that its sales increase year by year shows its growing popularity. The new Spring styles of the La France are now here and ready for your choosing. The tans blacks and shiny leather in Oxfords, Pumps and High Cuts are regular aristocrats.

At \$1.50 and \$2.00 a Pair

We are now showing a prominent manufacturers' line of High Cuts and Low Cuts in Tans, Blacks and shiny leathers at \$1.50 and \$2 a pair.

Men's New Spring Shoes

The James Means, the Crawford, the LeLand, and half a dozen other leading manufacturers' lines are now here vying for your patronage.

Great March Values in Men's and Boys' Spring Suits

March values without equal in quality and low prices. Never before have we offered such extraordinary suit bargains as we have prepared for the Spring of 1909. These are opportunities that will repay you and others to investigate. Marvelous values in Men's and Young Men's Suits at \$5, \$7.50, \$10, \$12.50, \$15 and \$18.

Boys' new Spring Suits of superior quality sold by others at \$1 to \$2 more on sale here the coming week at \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50, \$4, \$4.50 and \$5.

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